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The University of Montana track team will be back in action this Saturday at Dornblaser Stadium when the Grizzlies host the Montana Invitational Track meet for the colleges and the Harry Adams Relays for the high school thinclads.

Harley Lewis, UM track coach and meet director, said high schools from throughout Western Montana and five colleges will compete in the meets.

Lewis said Montana Tech, Carroll College, Western Montana and Flathead Community College will test the Grizzly strength in the college section of the track competition.

Western Montana should provide the Grizzlies with the stiffest competition and have an outstanding javelin specialist in Courtney Taylor who throws the spear over 230 feet.

Montana Tech has some good sprinters and Carroll has some good hurdlers.

The Montana coach again plans to juggle his lineup this week. "No telling what we'll find this week," Lewis said. Last Saturday, the Grizzly coach found a miler in Duane Spethman. Spethman was clocked at 4:23.7 in the first mile he has run for time.

This Saturday Lewis plans to enter freshman half-miler Dick Miller in the mile and miler Boyd Collins, also a freshman, in the 880-yard dash. Bob Zins and Steve Hopkins will also move up to the half.

Wade Jacobsen will be back in the Tip lineup this week after sitting out the first meets with leg injuries. The Big Sky cross country champion for the last two years will run the mile.

Also back on the Montana active roster is quarter-miler Al Joscelyn. Joscelyn past up the Idaho meet last week due to an illness. He will run the 880. Triple jumper Pat Schruth is back this week also.

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Lewis said the condition/drills this past week have been to develop bulk strength. "We had volume work this week running 220's and 330's to develop wind," he said. "I hope we get some sunshine and warm weather for some needed speed work."

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Lewis plans to enter Roy Robinson and Keith Kerbel, 100-yd.; Robinson, Kerbel and Bill Codd, 220-yd.; Codd, Len LaBuff, Bill Zins and Brian McNicholas, 440-yd.; Steve Hopkins, Joscelyn, Spethman, Miller, Collins, Bob Zins and Tom Feeley, 880-yd.; Spethman, Miller, Howard Johnson, Tim O'Hare and Jacobsen, mile and Ray Velez, George Cook and Ray Ballew, two mile.

Dave Gustafson and Dick Fox, will throw the javelin; Mark Doane and Howard Roth, shotput; Rob Andrews, Doane, Ray Howard and Jim Clawson, discus; Greg Olson, Rick Kendall, and Casey Walker, high jump; Bill Trosper, Marty Palagi, Craig Stoenner and Winter, long jump; Stan Buresh, Palagi, and Pat Schruth, triple jump and Buresh, Dan Monahan and Lee Urbaniak, pole vault.

Barry Mortenson, Kendall and Walker will be the high hurdlers and Dick Koontz, Bill Nebel and Trosper in the intermediate hurdles.

The field events for both meets are scheduled to begin at noon and the track events will start at 1 p.m.

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